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OAKLAND

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
**NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA**

**THE ESTATE OF SAHLEEM TINDLE,**

Plaintiffs,

vs.

**JOSEPH MATEU, III,**

Defendant.

CASE No. 18-cv-05755-YGR

**VERDICT FORM**

United States District Court  
Northern District of California

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**WE, THE JURY IN THE ABOVE-ENTITLED CASE,** unanimously render the following verdicts:

**Question 1:** Did JOSEPH MATEU III use unreasonable force against SAHLEEM TINDLE?

✓ Yes        No

*If you answered "yes" to Question 1, please answer Question 2. If you answered "no," sign and date this form.*

**Question 2:** Did that unreasonable force used by JOSEPH MATEU III cause SAHLEEM TINDLE's death?

✓ Yes        No

*If you answered "yes" to Question Number 2, answer all remaining questions (Special Interrogatories 1 and 2 and Damages):*

**Special Interrogatory 1:** Did SAHLEEM TINDLE possess the gun in the moments before JOSEPH MATEU III fired his weapon?

✓ Yes        No

**Special Interrogatory 2:** Was SAHLEEM TINDLE attempting to surrender in the moments before JOSEPH MATEU III fired his weapon?

✓ Yes        No

### **DAMAGES**

**WE, THE JURY AWARD THE FOLLOWING DAMAGES:**

\$ 5.375 Million

OR

Nominal Damages (not to exceed one dollar) \$                     

Please **sign and date** this verdict form, then return to the Court.

Dated: 03/05/2020

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